TRAFFIC DEATH REDUCTION TREND CONTINUES INTO 1961

Richmond, Va. Virginia's steady and substantial reduction of annual traffic deaths since 1957 continued through the first two months of 1961, Colonel C. W. Woodson, Jr. reported today.

Colonel Woodson, Chairman of the Governor's Highway Safety Committee and Superintendent of State Police, set the toll for the past January and February at 91 to compare favorably with the 101 for the same period of 1960. Here, however, he noted that some changes in the totals may possibly be expected due to late reports or deaths of persons now carried as injured. The latter deaths revert to the date of injury for statistical purposes.

Virginia's highway deaths dropped from 912 in 1957 to 861 in 1958, to 850 in 1959 and to 756 in 1960. Traffic volumes, Colonel Woodson noted, are now about 6.7 percent above those of 1957.

Pedestrian deaths paralleled the overall reduction with a drop of from 21 to 18 for the period.

"It is still too early to draw any concrete conclusions from this favorable trend," Colonel Woodson said, "but if we can keep it alive, we will have one of the best records in the country when 1961 comes to an end. Our 1960 rate of 4.5 deaths per 100 million miles of travel was well below the national average of 5.3 last year."

In concluding, he asked the public not to look upon the situation simply as a statistical reduction but as human lives saved. "Any of these lives saved could have been yours or that of someone dear to you," he commented.

Pamplin

Pamplin, Mar. 7.- Week-end visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Ligon were Lt. Col. L. R. Ligon, of Fort Bliss, Texas, and Mrs. T. J. Ligon, of Richmond.

Mrs. E. F. Davis visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. K. L. McClenny, of Farmville Sunday.

Mrs. H. F. Clark was a Sunday visitor in the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wood, of Farmville.

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Miss Charlotte Hart, of Richmond was a week-end guest in the home of her parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. L. Hart.

Miss Mary Rives Black was hostess to the B. W. C. of Elon Baptist Church Tuesday evening.

Dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Harris Saturday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Dickerson, Mr. William Mahone and Miss Janice Ruth McClenny, Mr. R. E. McClenny, Jr., Miss Laura Carson, and Miss Mary Wilson McClenny.

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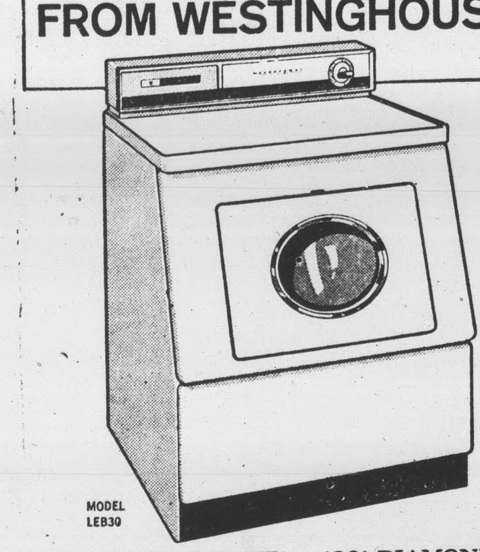
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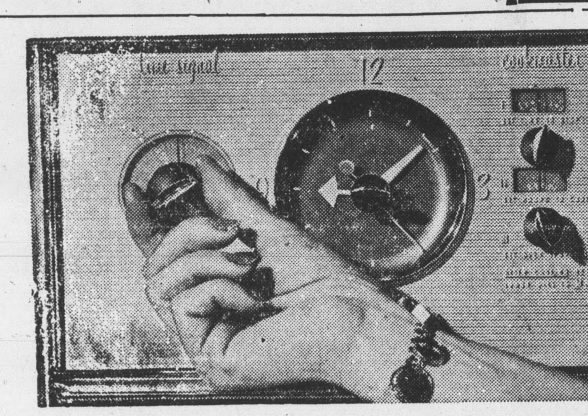

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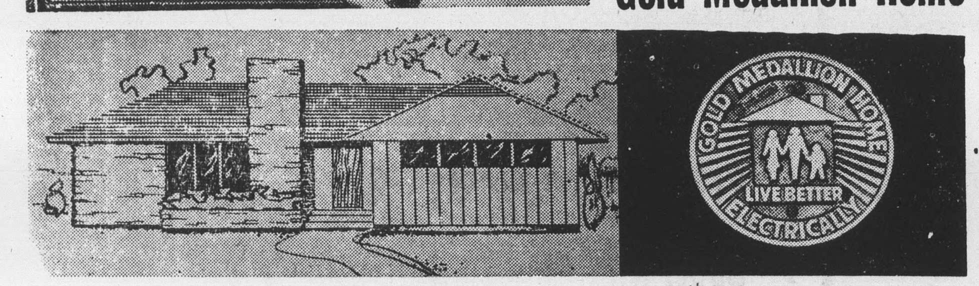

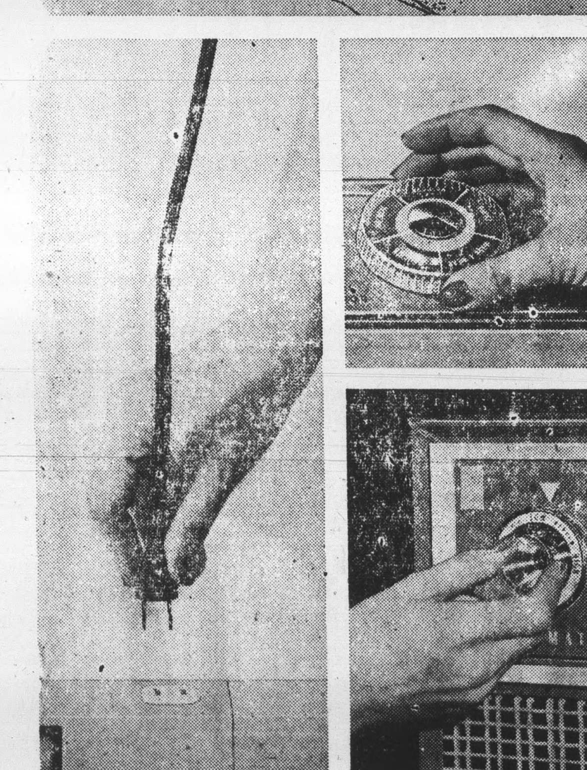

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County Line

County Line, March 7—We are having summer like weather. The high was 80 here today.

The farmers are busy with their farm work.

Rev. Winfred Elder preached a splendid sermon at Central Sunday a. m.

The pastor and some of their wives of the Appomattox Association met at Central Church Monday a. m. Lunch was served by the ladies of the church.

Week-end visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Everette Ferguson were Mrs. Walter Ferguson and daughter, Elsie, of Richmond, Mrs. Leonard Cawthorn, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Coleman, of Lynchburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Mayberry spent the week-end with her parents Mr. and Mr. Alvin Goggin, near Richmond.

Mr. Milton Nash of Wililamsburg is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mann.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Waller spent Thursday night with her brother, Mr Carson in Louisa County.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Harris and daughter, Carolyn, spent Sunday afternoon in the home of Vernie Jones. They reported that Mrs. Willie Jordan, sister of Mrs. Harris and Vernie Jones, is ill in a hospital in Richmond.

We regret to hear that Mr. Bernard Tibbs had his house and most of the contents destroyed by fire Tuesday.

Mrs. Courtney Mann gave a dinner Sunday in honor of her husband's birthday. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Mann, and son, Carol, Mrs. Lula Mann, Bradley; Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Dickerson, and family, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Mann and son, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Mann and son, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Shepard and son, all of Brookneal; Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Mann and son, Mrs. Thurman Mann and family, of Phenix, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Dickerson and family, of Gladys, Mrs. Lewis Mann and son and grandchildren, of Appomattox, H. A. Childress Jr., of Naruna. Mr. Mann received many nice gifts.

Visitors in the afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Tucker and daughter, Sue.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Clarke and family, of near Brookneal were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Cox Sunday.

Mr. John Love has had a farm pond built by Nash and Evans.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Mann and Mr. Robert Mann, of Lynchburg, spent the week-end with home people.

Iris Cordell has been on the sick list.

Mrs. Arthur Mullin was in Lynchburg on Tuesday.

Mr. Frank Moore and Robert Mullin made a business trip to Richmond Tuesday night.

Mr. Clarence Jones has bought a new truck.

Flattery is one way some people pave the walkway of life, but it often costs more than it is worth.

Beckham

Beckham, March 7.- Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Murphy and Miss Harriet Holley visited Mr. and Mrs. Herman Moore Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Moore, of Lynchburg visited Mr. and Mrs. Hal Moore and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Chernault and Donald Grey Chenault were the week-end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Everette Martin.

Dr. Florence Van Nostrand, and Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Burge, Judy and Ricky were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Tweedy and Mrs. Ashby Martin. Visiting Mrs. Tweedy in the afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Martin, Mrs. Robert Morris, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Moore, Mrs. Hal Moore, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Mays, Mr. and Mrs. Howlette Drinkard and Miss Eunice Martin.

Miss Mildred Moore spent the week-end with Miss Amy Moore.

Mrs. Gibbs Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Carter, Mr. and Mrs. Allan Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Martin and Connie, Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Moore, and Mr. Milton Moore, Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Martin and Mrs. Robert Morris visited Mrs. Gibbs Martin and Mr. Edwin Moore in Memorial Hospital Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. William Moore and Mr. and Mrs. George Bray, of Norfolk spent Monday and Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Howard R. Moore.

Mr. H. O. Martin, Mr. and Mrs Winston Martin and Gloria, Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Martin, Jr. and Connie, Mrs. Robert Morris, Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Martin visitaed Mrs. H. O. Martin at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eural Martin, of Lynchburg.

Mrs. T. R. Martin is on the sick list. We wish for her a speedy recovery.

Colored Dots

The public is cordially invited to attend a musical fete at the Promise Land Baptist Church this Sunday evening at 7:30. The program is being sponsored by the Promise Land Church Choir, with Miss Mattie Fleshman as Mistress of ceremony.

An overflow crowd attended the funeral services for the late Mrs. Mildred Harris at the Mount Airy Baptist Church last Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Mrs. Harris died suddenly on her way to the doctor last Thursday morning arond 12:40. She was the wife of Mr. Charlie Harris of the Mount Airy community. The following order of service was carried out in an effective and impressive manner. Processional, Nearer My God to Thee; Hymn, Near the Cross, Choir; Scripture reading, Rev. R. Q. Lawing; Prayer, the Rev. C. A. Marshall; acknowledgements, Mrs. H. P. Johnson; remarksJ0:eh- huSU mb mb m family obituary, selection, choir; eulogy, pastor of the church, Rev. H. W. Pryor. The following members of the church served as pallbearers: Messers. Robert Booker, John Humbles, Sam McCoy, Herman Megginson and Walter Daye. The following served as flower bearers: Misses Lucile Jones, and Gloria Dean, Mesdames H. P. Johnson, Georgia Daniels, Cassie Turner, and Dorothy Christian. The following survive: husband, Mr. Charlie Harris, one daughter, Mrs. Dorothy Christian, one son-in-law, Rev. Boyd Christian; five grandchildren, two sisters, Mrs. Frances Fleming, of N. J., and Miss Ophelia Veneable, of N. Y.; four brothers, Messers. Clarence, Charlie and Clifford, of West Virginia, and Roy Venerable of New York, and two aunts and three uncles, and a host of other relatives and friends. The Rev. R. Q. Lawing served as master of the ceremony. Burial was in the family cemetery.

The annual Womans Day will be held at the Mount Shiloh Baptist Church on the third Sunday evening in March at 3 P. M.

Impressive services were held at the Galilee Baptist Church on last Sunday. The Rev. Ferdina Shelton, field missionary of Hasadiah Baptist Association was the guest minister. The pastor of the church conducted devotionals. He was assisted in the service by the Rev. C. A. Marshall.

The Modernistic Club held their regular meeting at the home of Rev and Mrs. R. Q. Lawing last Thursday, with Mrs. Lawing as hostess.

A large crowd attended the funeral services for the late Mrs. Mozella Baker Hancock at Mt. Zion Baptist Church, Red House, last Sunday at 3 P. M. The Rev. H. R. G. Venable, pastor of the church was in charge of the service and delivered the eulogy.

Mrs. Reese and Mrs. Isbell, of Chicago spent a week's vacation here as the guest of their relatives, Mrs. Lucy Stephens and family.

SOCIAL SECURITY PROBLEMS TO BE DISCUSSED AT AT PAMPLIN MEETING

"Social Security Problems as they affect the farmers" will be the discussion topic for a farmers meeting at the Pamplin School, Pamplin, Va., Thursday, March 9. This meeting at 7:30 p.m. will be the seventh in a series of meetings held for farmers in the Pamplin area to help bring them up to date in agricultural and business problems which affect them .Mr. Q. C. Irby of the Lynchburug District Office of Social Security will be on hand to lead the discussion.

This series of meetings is being sponsored by the Pamplin Ruritan Club and the Appomattox County Department of Vocational Agriculture under the County School Board. There will not be a meeting of this group on Thursday, March 16. Then on March 23rd, Mr. D. E. Moore, Fieldman of the Agricultural Conservation Service, will lead a discussion on "Federal Farm Programs." On Thursday, April 13, Dr. LeRoy Bowen Jr., plans to meet wth this group and discuss the topic "For Healthier Livestock." A field trip on a Forestry marking demonstration is also planned on a date to be announced later.

Also currently operating at the Pamplin School is the Farm Machinery Repair Class each Monday night in the Pamplin School Shop. Mr. Everett Tibbs is instructor for this class. All farmers in the area are welcome to attend either class.

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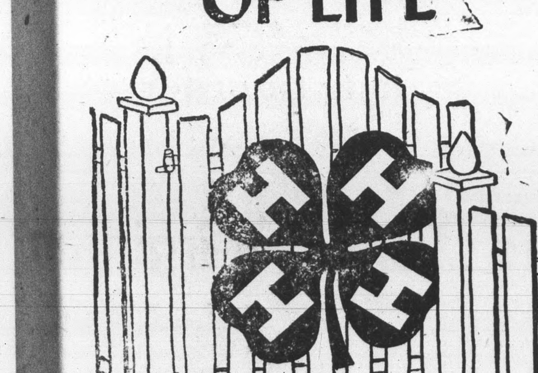

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BETA CLUB NEWS

The monthly meeting of the Appomattox Beta Club was held on Thursday, March 3, in the High School Auditorium with Tommy Ashworth, President, presiding.

We were glad to have 20 more students having met the qualifications for membership in the Beta Club, to join us. We hope to have many more students joining us next year.

We discussed the Federation meeting which is to be held at Appomattox this Spring. Two candidates, Nancy Chandler and Sandra Trent, were elected to run for the Beta Federation officers of President and Reporter respectively.

PANCAKE SUPPER

The Vera P.-T.A. will sponsor a Pancake Supper at the Vera School on March 17, biginning at 6:00 o'clock p. m.

Baton twirling and string band music will provide entertainment for the evening.

Come — all the pancakes you can eat.

DEATHS

James A. Casey

James Ammon Casey, 64, a retired millwright, died Sunday afternoon at his home in Appomattox. He was born in Lynchburg, son of Leonard Otey and Cora Davidson Casey. His wife was the late Mary Simms Casey. He was a member of the Baptist Church and a veteran of World War I. Surviving are two sisters, Mrs. H. M. Doss of Lynchburg and Mrs. W. H. Wood of Evington; one brother, Raymond A. Casey of Athens, W. Va., and a number of nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held Tuesday Morning at 11:00 A. M. at Robinson Funeral Home, conducted by the Rev. James T. Cravens. Organ selections were offered by Mrs. Joyce Vaughan.

Burial was in Spring Hill Cemetery, Lynchburg, Va. Active Pall Bearers were: Lewis L. Doss, Robert E. Simms, William H. Williamson, Jr., Lee Ferguson, W. C. Johnson, Mott T. Simms, Herman W. Guill and Samuel L. Ferguson.

WALTER D. CHERNAULT

Walter David Chernault, 46, a farmer of Rt. 3, Appomattox, died at his home Tuesday night after an illness of one month. He was born in Appomattox County Feb. 26, 1916, son of Mrs. Janie Coleman Chernault and the late Jesse J. Chernault. He was a member of New Hope Baptist Church. Surviving in addition to his mother, are five brothers, Russell A. Chernault, Henry T. Chernault, James Chernault, Clarke Chernault, of Appomattox, Robert H. Chernault, of Arlintgon; seven sisters, Mrs. E. O. Blackwell of Appomattox, Mrs. George Craddock of Norfolk, Mrs. Curtis McCormick and Mrs. Richard Burge of Lynchburg; Mrs. Wendall McMinn of Brockway, Pa., Mrs. Hugh Bailey of Darlington Heights and Mrs. Linda Hamlett of Farmville.

Funeral services were conducted Thursday at 3 p.m. from the New Hope Baptist Church by the Revs. Marvin Jacobs, Omar Burnette., Richard Bergdoll and John Leitner. Burial was in the church cemetery. Pallbearers were Kyle Coleman, Abbitt Coleman, Pete Harris, Joe Harris, Edward Chernault, Tommy Harvey, Jr., Flod Harris and Herman Robertson.

MR. RICHARD M. LEWIS

Mrs. Viola M. Lewis, of Appomattox has been notified of the death of her son, Richard Moss Lewis, 56, which occurred in a Roanoke hospital Thursday, after a long illness. He was a native of Appomattox County, and son of Charles E. Lewis. In addition to his mother, he is survived by his widow, Mrs. Frances Brammer Lewis, and one brother, C. D. Lewis, of Appomattox, also several nieces and nephews. Funeral services were conducted at Oakeys Funeral Chapel, at 4 P. M. on Saturday, and his body was laid to rest in Evergreen Cemetery midst his friends and loved ones, and a bank of beautiful floral tributes.

STRENGTH FOR THESE DAYS from The Bible

For Thou, Lord, wilt bless the righteous; with favor wilt Thou compass him as with a shield.—(Psalm 5:12)

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